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# Lessons Learned Information Sharing *LLIS.gov*

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## LLIS.gov's Pandemic Influenza Resources

### A TOOL FOR ENHANCING NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS

*Lessons Learned Information Sharing (LLIS.gov)* is a US Department of Homeland Security/Federal Emergency Management Agency program. *LLIS.gov* serves as the national, online network of lessons learned, best practices, and innovative ideas for the emergency response and homeland security communities. This information and collaboration resource helps emergency response providers and homeland security officials prevent, protect against, respond to, and recover from terrorist attacks, natural disasters, and other emergencies. *LLIS.gov* provides Federal, State, and local responders with a wealth of information and front-line expertise on effective planning, training, and operational practices across homeland security functional areas.

### LLIS.gov at a Glance


- Online since April 19, 2004
- Over 50,000 registered members
- Over 14,000 documents, including more than 1,700 state and local plans, 700 after-action reports, and 900 original content documents
- Secure message boards and collaboration tools
- Targeted information on current homeland security topics



### Pandemic Influenza

**FEATURED WEBSITES**

- [PandemicFlu.gov](#)
- [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\) H1N1 Flu](#)
- [World Health Organization \(WHO\) Influenza A \(H1N1\)](#)

**THE NATIONAL STRATEGY FOR PANDEMIC INFLUENZA**

The virulence of certain animal influenza strains and their potential to evolve into new, deadlier variants mean we must prepare for pandemic influenza now. Recent outbreaks of avian influenza subtype A (H5N1) and influenza A (H1N1) have intensified the need for preparedness. Guidance has been issued to help emergency responders, public health professionals, and health care providers prepare for and respond to such a pandemic.

LLIS.gov is conducting research and providing information regarding those aspects of previous influenza pandemics, other infectious disease outbreaks, and bioterrorism preparedness and response that would be applicable to the problem of pandemic influenza. Lessons Learned, Best Practices, Good Stories, Practice Notes, and other information that would be useful in preventing, detecting, preparing for, responding to, and recovering from pandemic influenza can be found here.

**WHO H1N1 STATISTICS**  
(as of 09:00 GMT, 6 July 2009)

Continent	Confirmed Cases	Deaths
North America	64,265	322
South America	12,772	82
Europe	10,357	4
Asia	10,666	8
Australia	6379	13
Africa	73	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>94,512</b>	<b>429</b>

[World Health Organization](#)

**PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PLANNING ELEMENTS**

<a href="#">PREPAREDNESS NETWORKING</a>	<a href="#">HEALTHCARE OPERATIONS</a>	<a href="#">ANTIVIRALS</a>
<a href="#">SURVEILLANCE</a>	<a href="#">CLINICAL INFORMATION</a>	<a href="#">COMMUNITY DISEASE CONTROL</a>
<a href="#">LABORATORIES</a>	<a href="#">VACCINES</a>	<a href="#">OUTBREAK COMMUNICATION</a>
		<a href="#">WORKFORCE RESILIENCE</a>

### PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PLANNING PAGES

*LLIS.gov's* Pandemic Influenza pages provide a wealth of pandemic planning information and tools to enhance the preparedness of our Nation. The page includes links to other valuable pandemic influenza planning elements on *LLIS.gov*, such as:

- Antivirals;
- Clinical information;
- Community disease control;
- Healthcare operations;
- Laboratories;
- Outbreak communication;
- Preparedness networking;
- Surveillance;
- Vaccines; and
- Workforce resilience.

### PANDEMIC INFLUENZA DOCUMENTS ON LLIS.GOV

In addition to current top news stories and a pandemic influenza forum, the Pandemic Influenza pages include searchable directories of plans, guidance documents, after-action reports, models and simulations, checklists, templates, and worksheets such as:

- The National Strategy for Pandemic Influenza
- Public Health Emergency Exercise Toolkit
- Pandemic Influenza Preparedness and Response: A WHO Guidance Document
- Public Health Emergency Planning: Disseminating Public Information through Non-Traditional Methods (Lesson Learned)
- Vaccine Inventory: The Minnesota Department of Health's Internet-Based Vaccine Tracking Program (Practice Note)
- Pandemic Influenza Preparedness: Establishing Clear Guidance for School Closure (Lesson Learned)

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